

In the Claims:

Amend claims 1-4 as follows:

B² sub C 1. (Amended) A doctor for a suction roll particularly in a paper machine, which doctor is intended to remove water from the suction roll and which doctor includes a doctor slat fitted against the surface of the suction roll to extend essentially over the entire width of the suction roll, as well as its holder and loading devices, characterized in that, in the direction of the rotation of the suction roll, there is a doctor blade, which is as such known, with a blade holder fitted to the doctor after the doctor slat, arranged to remove the water lifted off the suction roll by the doctor slat and that the angle between the lines of contact of the doctor slat and the doctor blade in relation to the imagined axis of rotation of the suction roll is 15 - 70°.

2. (Amended) A doctor according to Claim 1, characterized in that the doctor has a frame construction, to which the holders of both the doctor slat and the doctor blade are fitted.

3. (Amended) A doctor according to Claim 2, characterized in that the holder of the doctor slat is fitted detachably to the frame construction.

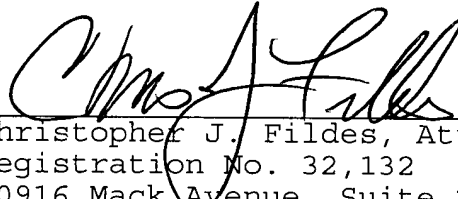
4. (Amended) A doctor according to Claim 3, characterized in that the frame construction includes attachments corresponding to the blade holder of the doctor blade in the vicinity of the holder of the doctor slat.

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In the Abstract:

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